

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
116TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1120, L.D. 1519, Bill, "An Act to Make Allocations for the Necessary Administration of the Workers' Compensation Laws for the State for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1994 and June 30, 1995"

Amend the bill in section 1 in that part designated "WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD" by striking out all of the 2nd to 6th lines (page 2, lines 3 to 8 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

**'Administration - Workers' Compensation Board**

Positions - Other Count	(114.0)	(114.0)
Personal Services	\$4,659,099	\$4,402,611
All Other	968,364	1,000,516
Capital Expenditures	13,813	13,388
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,641,276</b>	<b>\$5,416,515'</b>

Further amend the bill in section 1 in the 9th and 10th lines from the end (page 3, lines 16 and 17 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "one Deputy General Counsel position,"

Further amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all of the last 4 lines (page 3, lines 23 to 27 in L.D.) and inserting in their place the following:

**'Workers' Compensation Board**

Personal Services	\$50,000	\$50,000
All Other	30,000	30,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$80,000</b>	<b>\$80,000</b>

Provides for the allocation of funds to cover the expenses of the 8 appointed members of the Workers' Compensation Board.

**WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD**

2	<b>TOTAL</b>	<u>\$5,721,276</u>	<u>\$5,496,515</u>
4	<b>SECTION 1</b>		
6	<b>TOTAL ALLOCATIONS</b>	<u>\$6,007,576</u>	<u>\$5,787,315</u>

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

**FISCAL NOTE**

12		<b>1993-94</b>	<b>1994-95</b>
14	<b>APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS:</b>		
16	Other Special Revenue	\$6,007,576	\$5,787,315

This bill provides an Other Special Revenue allocation to support the costs of the Workers' Compensation Board as well as the workers' compensation insurance-related expenses of the Bureau of Insurance.

**STATEMENT OF FACT**

This amendment creates a separate account to identify the specific costs associated with the 8 appointed members of the Workers' Compensation Board. In addition, the amendment deletes one Deputy General Counsel position.

Reported by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs  
Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House  
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